

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Blackwell, et al.
Appl. No.: 10/552,135
Filed: 10/06/2005
For: MOBILE MEDICAL FACILITY

Confirmation No.: 7205
Group Art Unit: 3612
Examiner: Pape, Joseph

Filed Via USPTO EFS-Web

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)**

Sir:

Attached is a list of documents on form PTO-1449 along with a copy of any cited foreign patent documents and non-patent literature document in accordance with 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2). It is requested that the Examiner consider these documents and officially make them of record in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 and Section 609 of the MPEP. By identifying the listed documents, Applicants in no way make any admission as to the prior art status of the listed documents, but is instead identifying the listed documents for the sake of full disclosure.

The attached list of documents on form PTO-1449 includes (1) the references cited in the petition to make special filed on November 9, 2005 for this present application and (2) four non-patent documents that recently came to Applicants' attention.

As to the first group of documents, the references cited in the petition to make special were previously disclosed to the USPTO through the filing of the petition on November 9, 2005. To confirm in the record of the prosecution history that the references cited in the petition were indeed considered by the Examiner, Applicants have cited the references on form PTO-1449 and request that the Examiner indicate on form PTO-1449 that the references cited in the petition were considered.

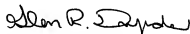
As to the second group of documents, the four non-patent documents pertain to an ongoing litigation matter between Mobile Medical International Corporation and Advanced Mobile Hospital Systems, Inc. that has recently become known to Applicants. The non-patent

documents include a copy of the docket sheet for the litigation matter and three documents that were filed in the litigation and, thus, have become public. Applicants are unaware of whether any of these three documents were publicly available, or if available, when any of the might have become available. Applicants are unaware of any public availability prior to the commencement of the litigation on October 30, 2007. None of these non-patent documents was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, and, to the knowledge of the person signing this document after making reasonable inquiry, none of the non-patent documents was known to any individual designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(c) more than three (3) months prior to the filing of this information disclosure statement.

This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c), before final Office Action or Allowance, whichever is earlier.

A check for the \$180.00 fee specified in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fee, or credit any refund, to our Deposit Account No. 16-0605.

Respectfully submitted,



Glen R. Drysdale
Registration No. 56,342

CUSTOMER NO. 00826
ALSTON & BIRD LLP
Bank of America Plaza
101 South Tryon Street, Suite 4000
Charlotte, NC 28280-4000
Tel Charlotte Office (704) 444-1000
Fax Charlotte Office (704) 444-1111